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¶1. (SBU) On March 15, the Ambassador and Russian Ambassador to Serbia Alexeev delivered reftel joint demarche to FONMIN Draskovic regarding the Joint Declaration on the principles of a global initiative for fighting nuclear terrorism. Draskovic told the Ambassadors he would consult with PM Kostunica and President Tadic, but he fully expected both leaders to support the initiative. He also used the meeting to raise again his "one country, two systems" proposal for Kosovo, to which the Ambassador and Ambassador Alexeev gave standard replies.

¶2. (U) In follow-on marks to the press, Draskovic declared Serbia's strong support for the initiative, and highlighted the joint efforts by the U.S. and Russia to push the program. The FONMIN pointed out the ability of the U.S. and Russia to achieve great success when working together, and pointedly and predictably, noted that such joint action on the Kosovo issue could produce a compromise solution acceptable to all.

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